IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Atty Dkt. 39-257 in re Patent Application of AUG 2 6 2003 Group Art Unit: FERGUSON, Mark W.J. Serial No. 10/082,221 Date: August 26, 2003 Filed: February 26, 2002 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION CONTAINING IL-10 Title: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: **STATUS INQUIRY** This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: minus highest number Total effective claims after amendment \$ 0.00 previously paid for 20 (at least 20) =Х \$ 18.00 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number \$ previously paid for 0.00 (at least 3) =\$ 84.00 Х If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$280.00 (ignore improper) \$ 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this \$ paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$410.00/2 months; \$930.00/3 months) 0.00 \$ 0.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ 0.00 First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$750.00) Please enter the previously unentered . filed Submission attached Subtotal \$ 0.00 -\$ 0.00 If "small entity." then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract Applicant claims "small entity" status. 

Statement filed herewith \$ 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) Other: 0.00 TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED 0.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor **NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.** Arlington, Virginia 22201-4714 By Atty: Mary J. Wilson, Reg. No. 32,955

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a report on the status of this application be provided.

Respectfully submitted,

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